

**U.S. District Court**  
**District of Columbia (Washington, DC)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-02919-CKK**

DEMOCRACY FORWARD FOUNDATION v. U.S.  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Assigned to: Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 12/12/2018  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff**

**DEMOCRACY FORWARD  
FOUNDATION**

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**Defendant**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/12/2018	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against All Defendants ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5835820) filed by DEMOCRACY FORWARD FOUNDATION. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons, # <u>3</u> Summons, # <u>4</u> Summons)(Lewis, John) (Entered: 12/12/2018)
12/12/2018	<u>2</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by DEMOCRACY FORWARD FOUNDATION (Lewis, John) (Entered: 12/12/2018)
12/14/2018		Case Assigned to Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly. (zef, ) (Entered: 12/14/2018)
12/14/2018	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zef, ) (Entered: 12/14/2018)
12/26/2018	<u>4</u>	ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR CASES ASSIGNED TO JUDGE COLLEEN KOLLAR-KOTELLY. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 12/26/2018. (DM) (Entered: 12/26/2018)
01/02/2019	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 12/19/2018. ( Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 1/18/2019.), RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 12/19/18., RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE served on 12/19/2018 (Attachments: # <u>1</u>

		Declaration)(Lewis, John) (Entered: 01/02/2019)
01/18/2019	<u>6</u>	MOTION to Stay , MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>All Deadlines</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Pfaffenroth, Peter) (Entered: 01/18/2019)
01/18/2019	<u>7</u>	Memorandum in opposition to re <u>6</u> MOTION to Stay MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>All Deadlines</i> filed by DEMOCRACY FORWARD FOUNDATION. (Lewis, John) (Entered: 01/18/2019)
01/18/2019		MINUTE ORDER: The Court is in receipt of Defendant's <u>6</u> Motion to Stay and Plaintiff's <u>7</u> Opposition to Defendant's Motion to Stay. The Court ORDERS Defendant to file a Response to Plaintiff's Opposition by JANUARY 22, 2019. Defendant's Response should also indicate what progress, if any, has been made on processing Plaintiff's FOIA request. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 1/18/2019. (lcckk3) (Entered: 01/18/2019)